

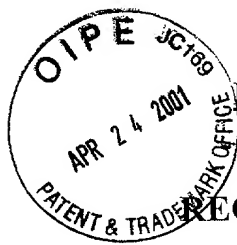
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)  
REQUEST TRANSMITTAL PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)**

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Prior Application  
Examiner: 08/842,394  
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- 1. This is a request for a ☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) of prior application serial no. 08/842,394, filed on April 23, 1997, and entitled :  
IMAGE SENSING APPARATUS, IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND  
IMAGE SENSING SYSTEM
- 2. The following are enclosed herewith:
  - ☐ Preliminary Amendment
  - ☐ Information Disclosure Statement including PTO 1449.
  - ☐ Copies of References Cited in Information Disclosure Statement

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I. CALCULATION OF APPLICATION FEE				
	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$710.00
Total Claims	40- 20 =	20x	\$18.00/ \$9.00	\$ 360.00
Independent Claims	12- 3 =	9x	\$80.00/ \$40.00	\$ 720.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims		If marked, add fee of \$270.00 (\$135.00)		\$
TOTAL:				\$ 1,790.00

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10. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this application pursuant to 37 CFR §1.16, including all extension of time fees pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for maintaining copendency with the parent application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1232-4349US1. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
11. ☒ Priority of application Serial No. 8-107646 and 8-138672, filed on April 26, 1998 and May 31, 1996, respectively in Japan, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
12. ☒ The parent application is assigned of record to Canon Kabushiki Kaisha, Recorded on April 23, 1997, at Reel 8550, Frame 0636.
13. ☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached along with the Assignment Recordation Form cover sheet.
14. ☐ A check in the amount of \$40.00 for recording the Assignment is attached.
15. ☒ The Power of Attorney was filed in the parent application.
16. ☐ A new Power of Attorney has been executed and is attached.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: April 24, 2001

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